TABLE 1
SUMMARY OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES
SEPTEMBER 2018

				Percent Change From	
	September	August 2018 S	eptember 2017	<b>Prior Month</b>	Prior Year
STATE UC PROGRAM *	45.500	<b>55</b> 201	50.010	12.0	0.6
Weeks Compensated	47,723	55,381 53,334	52,219 50,467		-8.6
Total Unemployment Other than Total	46,024 1,699	53,324 2,057	50,467 1,752	-13.7 -17.4	-8.8 -3.0
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Benefits Paid Total Unemployment	\$10,690,081 10,366,988	\$12,216,869 11,837,242	11,513,527 11,195,163	-12.5 -12.4	-7.2 -7.4
Other than Total	323,093	379,627	318,364		1.5
Average Payment - Total Unemployment	\$225.25	\$221.99	\$221.83	1.5	1.5
Beneficiaries	14,575	17,194	15,797	-15.2	-7.7
First Payments	2,901	3,877	3,272	-25.2	-11.3
Final Payments	1,136	1,223	1,183	-7.1	-4.0
Claims Received - Local Offices					
New	6,206	7,622	7,062	-18.6	-12.1
Additional	1,533	1,861	1,858		-17.5
Continued	18,572	21,247	20,287		-8.5
Weeks Claimed	54,496	61,677	59,708	-11.6	-8.7
Liable Interstate Claims Received					
Initial	397 5 173	502 5.767	511		-22.3
Weeks Claimed	5,173	5,767	6,484	-10.3	-20.2
Appeals - Lower and Higher Authority					
Lower Authority - Appeals Received	739	832	798		-7.4
Lower Authority - Appeal Decisions Higher Authority - Appeals Received	755 83	885	835 64	-14.7 937.5	-9.6 29.7
Higher Authority - Appeal Decisions	113	8 61	145		-22.1
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FEDERAL UC PROGRAM					
(UCFE AND UCX)					
Weeks Compensated	451	505	528		-14.6
Benefits Paid - Federal Funds	135,252	152,638	161,387	-11.4	-16.2
Claims Received - Local Offices					
Initial	71	98	49		44.9
Continued	164	186	163		0.6
Weeks Claimed	505	547	525	-7.7	-3.8
TOTAL STATE AND FEDERAL UC PROGRAMS					
Weeks Compensated	48,174	55,886	52,747	-13.8	-8.7
Benefits Paid - All Funds	\$10,825,333	\$12,369,507	11,674,914	-12.5	-7.3
Number of First Payments	2,936	3,922	3,295	-25.1	-10.9
Beneficiaries	14,747	17,391	15,996	-15.2	-7.8
Claims Received - Local Offices					
Initial	7,810	9,581	8,969	-18.5	-12.9
Continued	18,736	21,433	20,450	-12.6	-8.4
Weeks Claimed	55,001	62,224	60,233	-11.6	-8.7
Number of Work Days	19	23	20	-17.4	-5.0

<sup>\*</sup> Includes activity under State Unemployment Compensation Program.

<sup>\*\*</sup> No activity in prior period or less than 0.1 percent.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Information not available, reported on quarterly basis.